

MYSORE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

NINTH DAY.

Thursday, 20th June 1957.

The House met in the Assembly Hall, Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore, at Two of the Clock.

MR. SPEAKER (SRI S. R. KANTHI, B.A., LL.B.) in the Chair.

Business of the House.

Sri M. P. PATIL (Minister for Revenue).—Sir, I beg to introduce...

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Mysore).—May I know why there is no question hour to-day?

MR. SPEAKER.—Question hour has been dropped. A revised agenda has been issued to Hon'ble Members. For the coming few days, question hour would be dropped because we want to do some legislative business and to have more time for Budget discussion.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Sir, I would respectfully submit that question hour is a very important hour and it is a very sacred privilege of members when they would try to focus the attention of the public on the details of administration. May I request the Speaker to kindly reconsider the matter?

MR. SPEAKER.—I have already considered all matters and have come to the conclusion that for the present the question hour should be suspended, not that the question hour would be permanently taken away; that cannot be done. The other day I said that replies from Government had yet to come and we had been able to gather replies to only 20 to 25 questions. We can dispose of all of them within one day and that is why I suggest that we should go on with the legislative business.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU (Cubbonpet).—Is it only for to-day?

MR. SPEAKER.—I will announce what I intend to do at the end of to-day's discussion. I have not yet made up my mind.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA (Palaiyam).—Shall we take it that question hour is also a part of the business of the House?

MR. SPEAKER.—I have never said that it is not; it is. Suppose there are no answers; what can you or I do?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Are not answers received from Government, Sir?

MR. SPEAKER.—We have only a few, about 20 to 25; the rest will have to come yet.

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—It is the responsibility of the Government and we will ask the Government on a different occasion.

MR. SPEAKER.—I have requested the Government to send replies as early as possible.

MYSORE REVENUE APPELLATE TRIBUNAL BILL, 1957

Introduction

Sri M. P. PATIL (Minister for Revenue).—Sir, I beg to introduce the Mysore Revenue Appellate Tribunal Bill, 1957, which has been published in the *Mysore Gazette* under Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure.

MR. SPEAKER.—The Mysore Revenue Appellate Tribunal Bill, 1957, is introduced.

MYSORE SALES TAX BILL, 1957

Introduction

Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance).—Sir, I beg to introduce the

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Mysore Sales Tax Bill, 1957, which has been published in the *Mysore Gazette* under Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Mysore Sales Tax Bill, 1957, is introduced.

MYSORE UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1957

Introduction

Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance).—Sir, I beg to introduce the Mysore University (Amendment) Bill, 1957, which has been published in the *Mysore Gazette* under Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Mysore University (Amendment) Bill, 1957, is introduced.

KARNATAKA UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1957

Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance).—Sir, I beg to introduce the Karnataka University (Amendment) Bill, 1957, which is published in the *Mysore Gazette* under Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Karnataka University (Amendment) Bill, 1957, is introduced.

MYSORE SALES OF MOTOR SPIRIT TAXATION BILL, 1957

Introduction

Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance).—Sir, I beg to introduce the Mysore Sales of Motor Spirit Taxation Bill, 1957, which is published in the *Mysore Gazette* under Rule 48 of the Rules of Procedure.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Mysore Sales of Motor Spirit Taxation Bill, 1957, is introduced.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪುಟ್ಟಸ್ವಾಮಿ.—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಇದುವರೆಗೆ ಎರಡು ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳು ಮಾತ್ರ ನಮಗೆ ಸಿಕ್ಕಿವೆ. ಈಗ

ನರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಯಾವ ಯಾವ ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲಿ introduce ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂಬ ಒಂದು ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಇಟ್ಟು ಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಕಷ್ಟವಾಗಿದೆ. ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳು ಪಬ್ಲಿಷ್ ಆಗಿದ್ದರೆ ಅವುಗಳನ್ನು introduce ಮಾಡುವುದು ನ್ಯಾಯವಾಗಿದೆಯೇ ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಪಬ್ಲಿಷ್ ಆಗಿದೆ. All the Bills have been published. ತಮಗೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ ಅದನ್ನು ನಾನು ಒಪ್ಪುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಈಗ ಒದಗಿಸಿಕೊಡ ರಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

Member's Representation.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA (Gubbi).—I have given notice to discuss about the appointment of High Court Judges. What has happened to it, Sir ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—I am considering it. I will let you know about it later.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU (Cubbonpet).—I have given notice, supported by two other Members, with regard to discussion on the question raised yesterday in the Short-Notice Question. Under Rule 39 (1) of the Rules of Procedure in this House, we want to raise a discussion on that with the permission of the House.

Mr. SPEAKER.—That will come on the day appointed. If the Hon'ble Member has given notice, it will come in due course—I believe on Wednesday or Saturday if I mistake not.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—I have specifically referred to that and asked for permission because the matter is of public interest and it requires top priority.

Mr. SPEAKER.—We can take it up tomorrow if I allow it.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—Sir, so far we have never heard of deaths on account of this epidemics. It is only this morning that we heard it. So, the matter is very serious and it is, therefore, necessary that we should give top priority to this question.

Mr. SPEAKER.—It is doubtful whether the deaths are due to flu.

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—The Department of Health has reported them and so I hope the information must be authoritative.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Where have the deaths occurred ?

Sri V. P. DEENADAYALU NAIDU.—In Bangalore.